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In re Application of)
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

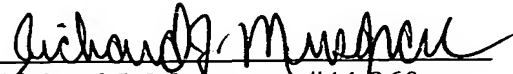
The following information and attached material are submitted for the Examiner's consideration relative to one or more of the claims in the above-identified application. Form PTO-1449 and a copy of each item listed thereon are attached.

Foreign language Patent DE 196 24 733 is discussed by the applicants in the Description of the Related Art. The relevance of the document to the claimed subject matter in this application is believed to be explained in the application.

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It is believed that this disclosure complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, and the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure §609. If for some reason the examiner considers otherwise, it is respectfully requested that the undersigned be called so that any deficiencies can be remedied.

Respectfully submitted,


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